

Ninety-Ninth Legislature - First Session - 2005 Introducer's Statement of Intent LB 284

Chairperson: Tom Baker

Committee: Transportation and Telecommunications

Date of Hearing: January 25, 2005

The following constitutes the reasons for this bill and the purposes which are sought to be accomplished thereby:

This bill makes three updates to the Motor Carrier Services Division of the DMV.

This bill eliminates the DMV's statutory duty to issue routine permits as the Department of Road's agent. Because the Department of Roads routinely issues these permits on-line, the DMV no longer issues these permits. This bill would repeal Neb. Rev. Stat. 75-386(8), bringing the statutory authority in conformity with the current practice.

Nebraska, as a member of the International Registration Plan (IRP), has adopted amendments to the agreement document that is the basic working document of the plan. Nebraska's adoption of the IRP agreement is found in Neb. Rev. Stat 60-354. The date in that section will be updated to October 1, 2004 to match the date of the most recently adopted amendments to the plan. Another reference to the IRP agreement is also found in 60-301(20) which will also be updated to the most recent version of the compact.

Nebraska's definition of a trip permit is modified to bring the statutes into conformity with the trip permit definition as set forth in the IRP. It will allow vehicles under these trip permits to travel both inter and intra-jurisdictionally in Nebraska rather than just inter-jurisdictionally.

Principal Introducer:	
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